that thermal power plants located at a distance of more than 1000 Kms. from the pit head shall use beneficiated coal with an ash content exceeding 34% on an annual average basis with effect from 1.6.2001.

(ix) Gross emission standards for on-road vehicles and mass emission standards for all categories of new vehicles have been notified under the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 and are being enforced by the Department of Transport in various urban areas.

(x) For control of pollution from vehicles, emission norms for both petrol and diesel driven vehicles at the manufacturing stage were introduced for the first time in 1990 and made tighter in 1996. More stringent emission norms will come into effect from 1.4.2000.

(xi) Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) is supplied for automobiles through a number of retail outlets in Delhi and Mumbai to cater to the CNG fitted vehicles.

(xii) Action Plans for control of pollution in Delhi and Mumbai are being implemented.

(xiii) 24 critically polluted areas have been identified. Action Plans have been drawn up for restoration of environmental quality in these areas.

(xiv) A number of documentaries and films have been sponsored by the Ministry of Environment and Forests for educating the general public for taking measures to protect the environment and control pollution. These documentaries/films are shown on Doordarshan and other channels.

(xv) The Ministry of Environment and Forests and Central Pollution Control Board have launched their own web sites for the dissemination of information on environmental related issues.

Top Ten Contributors of Pollution

1708. SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE:
MISS MABEL REBELLO:
SHRI SURESH KALMADI:

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI):(a) The top 10 categories of

major pollution contributing industries, along with their locations are as follows:—

Sl. No.	Industry	Location
1.	Bulk Drugs	West Bengal, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh.
2.	Distillery	Gujarat, Haryana, J & K, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Sikkim, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal
3.	Dyes and Dyes Intermediates	Gujarat and Maharashtra
4.	Integrated Iron and Steel Plants	Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Orissa and West Bengal
5.	Non-ferrous smelters (Zinc, Copper, Lead).	Bihar and Rajasthan
6.	Oil Refinery	Tamil Nadu, Assam, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Uttar Pradesh
7.	Pesticides	Delhi, West Bengal, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh.
8.	Pulp & Paper	Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Punjab and West Bengal
9.	Tannery	Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh
10.	Thermal Power Plants	Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Haryana, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Tamil Nadu, New Delhi, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.

(b) The industries have been directed to take necessary pollution control measures and are regularly monitored by the concerned State Pollution Control Board to ensure that they comply with the prescribed standards. Action is taken against defaulting industries including their closure.

Compensatory Plantations in H.P.

1709. SHRI ANIL SHARMA: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the district-wise and year-wise number and details of trees planted in lieu of deforestation done in Himachal Pradesh since 1995, till date;